

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In the specification

Page 2, line 13 delete the word “low” and replace with - high -.

Page 4, line 10, delete “feed” and replace with - stripping -.

Page 4, line 12, delete “withdrawalsection” and replace with - withdrawal section -.

Page 4, line 25-26 after the word “subregions” insert - of the withdrawal section -.

In the claims

Claim 1, part d. the word low is changed to read - high -.

Support for the amendment is found in the claims and specification as originally filed.

No new matter is believed to have been introduced.

An early action on the merits, and an allowance of the claims is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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